

# ARTS CALENDAR, JULY/AUGUST



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## On the road again with Shakespeare in the Parks

Montana Shakespeare in the Parks opened its 2015 season June 17 in its hometown, with performances of "The Taming of the Shrew" and "Cyrano de Bergerac" at Montana State University in Bozeman. The troupe takes the two productions on the road to more than 60 towns in five states this summer.

Artistic Director Kevin Asselin set Shakespeare's comedy "Shrew" in the Wyoming Territory of the 1880s.

Chicago-based guest director Si Osborne directs the tale of the valiant musketeer Cyrano, whose rapier wit is only exceeded by the size of his nose. MSIP brings 77 performances to 62 communities in 2015, making it the largest tour in MSIP history.

The company's 10 actors offer high-caliber theatre to audiences in towns large, small, and in-between, with an emphasis on underserved rural areas. Performances are free.

Visit [www.shakespeareintheparks.org](http://www.shakespeareintheparks.org) for details.

### Greenough

August 7  
"Penny Postcards and Prairie Flowers" - 6:30-7:30 p.m., Lubrecht State Experimental Forest, 406-243-6022

### Hamilton

July 3, August 7  
First Friday - 6-8 p.m., Downtown Hamilton, 406-360-9124

July 4, 11, 18, 25, August 1  
Science Saturdays - 10 a.m., Ravalli County Museum and Historical Society, 406-363-3338

July 17  
Broadway and Bubbly - 7:15 p.m., Hamilton Playhouse, 406-375-9050

July 18  
Broadway and Bubbly Encore - 7 p.m., Sapphire Lutheran Homes, 406-375-9050

July 24-25  
Daly Days - 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Main Street Hamilton, Hamilton Downtown Association, 406-360-9124

July 24-26  
Hardtimes Bluegrass Festival - 163 Forest Hill Road, 406-821-3777

July 25  
Belinda Gail Concert and Chuckwagon Dinner - 5:30 p.m., Daly Mansion, 406-363-6004

August 8  
Riverfest in the 'Root - 2-7:30 p.m., Kiwanis River Park, Bitter Root Water Forum, 406-375-2272

August 13  
"Charles M. Russell: Cowboy Storyteller" - 6 p.m., Ravalli County Museum and Historical Society, 406-363-3338

August 14-16, 21-23, 28-30  
"The Odd Couple" - Hamilton Playhouse, 406-375-9050

August 15-16  
Bitterroot Scottish-Irish Festival - Daly Mansion, 406-274-8886

August 17  
"The Taming of the Shrew" - 6 p.m., Sapphire Lutheran Homes, 406-994-3901

### Hardin

August 14  
"Cyrano de Bergerac" - 6 p.m., South Park, 406-994-3901

### Havre

July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, August 5, 12, 19  
Signing: Images of America: Havre - 6-8 p.m., Havre Elks Lodge, 406-265-6233  
Sounds on The Square - 6-8 p.m., Town Square, 406-265-4383

July 30-August 1, August 6-8  
"Dracula" - 8 p.m., MSUN/MAT Theatre, Montana Actors' Theatre, 406-945-0272

August 2  
Friendship Day - 4-6 p.m., High Line Heritage House Museum, 406-265-6233

### Helena

July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29  
Resident Artist Lecture Series - 7:30 p.m., Archie Bray Foundation, 406-443-3502

July 2, 9, 16, 23, August 6, 13, 20, 27  
Out to Lunch - 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Great Northern Town Center, 406-457-5541

July 9-12, 15-19, 22-26  
"Twelfth Night" - 7:30 p.m., Great Northern Amphitheatre, Montana Shakespeare Company, 406-459-4385

July 10-12, 15-19, 22-25  
"Oklahoma!" - Grandstreet Theatre, 406-442-4270

July 13, 27, August 3, 10, 17  
Mondays at the Myrna - 8 p.m., Myrna Loy Center, 406-443-0287



Martina McBride performs at the Last Chance Stampede in Helena July 22 and at the MontanaFair Aug. 9 in Billings.

### July 18

Chalk-Up Helena! - 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Downtown Helena Walking Mall, Helena Public Art Committee, 406-422-4053  
Symphony Under the Stars: Centennial Sinatra - 8:30 p.m., Carroll College, 406-442-1860

### July 19

Helena Secret Garden Tour - 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Original Governor's Mansion, Original Governor's Mansion Restoration Society, 406-439-7966

### July 22

Martina McBride - Lewis and Clark County Fairgrounds, 406-457-8516

### July 25

Benefit Live Auction and "Red Carpet" Brickyard Bash - 6 p.m., Archie Bray Foundation, 406-443-3502

### July 30-August 2, August 5-9, 12-16

"The Three Musketeers" - 7:30 p.m., Great Northern Amphitheatre, Montana Shakespeare Company, 406-459-4385

### August 6-9, 11-15

"Pippin" - Grandstreet Theatre, 406-442-4270

### August 10

"Cyrano de Bergerac" - 6 p.m., Pioneer Park, 406-994-3901

### August 11

"The Taming of the Shrew" - 6 p.m., Pioneer Park, 406-994-3901

### August 22

Artist Talk: Sandy Simon and Robert Brady - 7:30 p.m., Archie Bray Foundation, 406-443-3502

### August 2

Jazz in the Woods with the Wilbur Rehmman Quintet - 5-7 p.m., Moose Creek Cabin, Helena National Forest, Discovery Foundation, 406-495-3711

### August 10

Montana Skies - 8 p.m., Myrna Loy Center, 406-443-0287

### Hot Springs

July 24-25  
Symes Hot Springs Blues Festival - Symes Hotel, 406-741-2361

### Kalispell

July 1, 7-8, 14-15, 21-22, 28-29, August 4-5, 11, 18, 25  
Picnic in the Park Concert Series - Depot Park, 406-758-7717

### July 3-5

Whitefish Arts Festival - Depot Park, 406-862-5875

### July 7, 14, 21, 28, August 4, 11, 18, 25

Farmers Market Music - 5-7:30 p.m., Depot Park, 406-862-3501

### July 10-12

Artists and Craftsmen of the Flathead Summer Outdoor Show - Flathead County Courthouse West Lawn, 406-881-4288

### July 11-12

Glacier Symphony Summer Pops Concert - 7:30 p.m., Rebecca Farm, 406-407-7000

### July 17-19

Arts in the Park - Depot Park, Hockaday Museum of Art, 406-755-5268

### August 7-9

Huckleberry Days Art Festival - Depot Park, 406-862-3501

### August 26

"The Taming of the Shrew" - 6 p.m., Flathead Valley Community College, 406-994-3901

### Lakeside

July 29  
Adventures Near and Far Fundraiser Auction - 6:30 p.m., Spruce Lodge at Flathead Lake (Glacier Camp), 406-844-3917

### July 3, August 22

Blues Cruise I and II - 7-9 p.m., Far West Excursions dock, 406-471-9926 or 857-3119

### Lame Deer

July 2-5  
Northern Cheyenne 4th of July Powwow - Kenneth Beartusk Memorial Powwow Grounds, 406-477-6284

### Laurel

July 3-4  
Fourth of July Celebration - Thomas Park, 406-628-8105

### July 13

"Cyrano de Bergerac" - 6:30 p.m., Laurel Practice Football Field, 406-994-3901

### July 17, 31, August 14, 28

Rock the Block - 6-10 p.m., in Town Square, 406-628-8105

### Lewistown

#### July 24

Diamond Rio and Restless Heart - 8 p.m., Fergus County Fairgrounds, 406-535-8841

#### August 13-16

Montana Cowboy Poetry Gathering and Western Music Rendezvous - Yogo Inn and Fergus Center for the Performing Arts, 406-535-8721

### Libby

#### August 7-8

Riverfront Blues Festival - Riverfront Park, 406-293-5900

#### August 24

"Cyrano de Bergerac" - 6 p.m., Elementary Amphitheatre, 406-994-3901

#### August 26

"Singing the Western Legacy" - noon-1 p.m., Lincoln County Public Library, 406-243-6022



Montana Shakespeare in the Parks performs "Taming of the Shrew" (above) and "Cyrano de Bergerac" in communities across Montana through Sept. 8.

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### Lincoln

#### July 19

Old-Time Fiddlers' Jam - 2-6 p.m., Wilderness Bar, 406-467-2866

#### August 8-9

Art in the Park - Hooper Park, 406-367-7000

#### August 8

Lincolntock IV - 4-10 p.m., Hooper Park, 406-362-7000

#### August 28-30

Drum Brothers End-of-Summer Rhythm Gathering - Cane Ridge West Center, 406-282-3022

### Livingston

#### July 2-4

Depot Festival of the Arts - 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Depot Rotary Park, 406-222-2300

#### July 3-5, 10-12

"Monty Python's Spamlot" - Shane Center for the Arts, 406-222-1420

#### July 7

Reading: Richard Manning - 7 p.m., Elk River Books, 406-333-2330

July 9-11, 16-17, 23-25, 30-31, August 1, 8, 13-15, 22

Music Ranch Montana Concerts - 7:30 p.m., Music Ranch Montana, 406-222-2255

#### July 16

Roundhouse Roundup - 5:30-8:30 p.m., Livingston Depot Center, 406-222-2300

#### July 17-19, 24-26, 31-August 2, August 7-9

"Biloxi Blues" - Shane Lalani Center for the Arts, 406-222-1420

#### July 17-18

Summerfest Along the Yellowstone - Miles Park, 406-222-8155

#### July 21

Reading: David Gessner - 7 p.m., Elk River Books, 406-333-2330

#### July 23

Book Signing: Pat Miller - 5:30 p.m., Elk River Books, 406-333-2330

#### July 24, August 28

Art Walk - 5:30-8 p.m., Downtown Livingston, 406-222-0850

#### August 4-14

Montana Regional Dance Intensive - Yellowstone Ballet School, 406-222-0430

#### August 11

Reading: Keith McCafferty - 7 p.m., Elk River Books, 406-333-2330

#### August 13

Livingston Hoot - 4 p.m., Downtown Livingston, 406-599-1075

#### August 28

Book Signing: Jon Axline - 5:30 p.m., Elk River Books, 406-333-2330

### Lolo

#### July 11

Five Valley Accordions Picnic Dance - 1-10 p.m.,